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Patent Deposit Designation

Bacteriophage lambda HMBL3: Ca lambda 15.1

The deposit was accompanied by: __ a scientific description _ a proposed taxonomic description indicated

The deposit was received June 13, 2002 by this International Depository Authority and has been accepted.

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